

STATE OF MONTANA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION
1424 9TH AVENUE P.O.BOX 201601 HELENA, MONTANA 59620-1601

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Water Right Number: 40M 170248-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AMERICAN PRAIRIE FOUNDATION
PO BOX 908
BOZEMAN, MT 59771-0908

Priority Date: OCTOBER 5, 1900

Enforceable Priority Date: OCTOBER 5, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (use): STOCK

Maximum Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Maximum Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BIG WARM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		N2SW	12	27N	28E	PHILLIPS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SESW	12	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
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3		E2NW	13	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
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4		SENE	13	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
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5		W2SE	13	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

6		SESE	13	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

7		NENE	24	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1			N2SW	12	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
2			SESW	12	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
3			E2NW	13	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
4			SENE	13	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
5			W2SE	13	27N	28E	PHILLIPS
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Geocodes/Valid: 11-3887-12-3-01-01-0000 - Y 11-3887-13-1-01-01-0000 - Y
11-3887-24-1-01-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

STARTING IN 2008, PERIOD OF DIVERSION WAS ADDED TO MOST CLAIM ABSTRACTS, INCLUDING THIS ONE.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/17/85.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/08/86.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 67071 RECEIVED 06/08/2009.